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8	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
10	FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
11	GIL CROSTHWAITE, et al., as Trustees of the OPERATING ENGNEERS HEALTH AND	Case No.: C06-7779 JSW
12	WELFARE TRUST FUND FOR NORTHERN CALIFORNIA; et al.,	STIPULATION and REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE OF CASE
13 14	Plaintiffs,	MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE AND ORDER THEREON
15	GOLDEN HILLS CONTRACTORS, INC., and	Date: December 21, 2007 Time: 1:30 p.m.
16	DONALD EDWARD WILSON, et al.	Location: 450 Golden Gate Avenue San Francisco, California
17	Defendants.	Courtroom: 2, 17 <sup>th</sup> Floor Judge: The Honorable Jeffrey S. White
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19	The parties herein hereby stipulate and respectfully request a Continuance of the Case	
20	Management Conference currently on calendar for December 21, 2007, for the following reasons:	
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22   23	1. Counsel for Plaintiffs substituted into this action on or about June 6, 2007, and	
24	thereafter reviewed the file of prior counsel to determine the content and status of the claims.	
25	Plaintiffs' counsel contacted defendants Golden Gate Contractors, Inc. and its principal, Donald	
26	Wilson, neither of whom had answered the complaint, to determine their position as to the claims	
27	made by Plaintiffs.	
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- 2. Defendants represented that they would like to resolve the matter, but in determining the amounts remaining in their claim, Plaintiffs found there was potentially an additional claimant Trust Fund not currently a plaintiff, with separate counsel. Once Plaintiffs determined that they will *not* seek leave to amend their complaint in this action to include an additional plaintiff, demand for payment was made on those Defendants, who refused payment, notwithstanding their prior representation.
- 3. The remaining amounts owed have recently been recalculated by Plaintiffs, following payment by and dismissal of former defendant Travelers Surety and Casualty Company of America, and the determination of no further amendment to the complaint.
- 4. Plaintiffs therefore contacted counsel for defendant Surety Company of the Pacific, to determine its resulting position of payment on the bond of the remaining claim. That Defendant reasonably requested an accounting of the balance of the claim, which Plaintiffs will provide.
- 5. If payment is promptly made on the bond, Plaintiffs will dismiss defendant Surety Company of the Pacific from this action, and file their Motion for Default Judgment for the amounts due in excess of the bond, against Golden Hills and its principal. In the unlikely event that the bond payment is *not* promptly made upon Plaintiffs' provision of the requested accounting, Plaintiffs will add to their motion a Motion for Summary Judgment against Surety Company of the Pacific.
- 4. Plaintiffs and Surety Company of the Pacific therefore stipulate and respectfully request that the Case Management Conference, currently scheduled for December 21 2007, be continued for approximately 60-90 days to allow provision and review of the accounting, and for Plaintiffs to resolve the remaining claim by motion.
- 5. It is furthermore requested that all previously set deadlines and dates related to this case remain vacated to allow this matter to proceed as outlined above.

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